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Dear Sir:

This is a preliminary amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.115 for the above-referenced patent application. Preliminary to examination on the merits, please amend the application as follows.

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 16 with the following paragraphs:

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One embodiment of the invention is a control system for remote-controlled aircraft. This embodiment includes: a receiver for receiving control signals from a transmitter; a control module in communication with said receiver and at least one aircraft flight control system, wherein said control module comprises instructions that, when executed, send modified control signals to said flight control system; and a positioning module in communication with said control module, said positioning module providing positioning signals representing the current attitude of the aircraft to said control module.